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CLAS ~~SECRET~~ SAVIN SECTION ONE OF FOUR 46T/7426 WEEKLY AIR
TEXT DEFENSE WRAP 70. THE FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF SIGINT/COLLATERAL REFLECTION

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OF DRV AIR DEFENSE AND FLIGHT ACTIVITY FOR THE PERIOD 07
THRU 13 OCTOBER. SECTION ONE - HIGHLIGHTS. 1. ON 08 OCT, AN
UNIDENTIFIED SAM BN WAS REFLECTED DISCUSSING AN ACFT DOWNED
THE DAY BEFORE. THE SPEAKER WAS CONCERNED BECAUSE ANOTHER
BN WAS ATTEMPTING TO GAIN CREDIT FOR THE VICTORY. ANALYSIS
OF THE COMMUNICATIONS REVEALED THAT THE SPEAKER WAS LOCATED AT
PHU NAM HAI (VN245), BELIEVED TO BE THE CURRENT LOCATION
FOR V1439, AND THAT THE SECOND BN CLAIMING THE VICTORY WAS
PROBABLY V1476 (VN002). SECTION TWO - FIGHTER ACTIVITY. 1.
PHUC YEN: A TOTAL OF 80 MIG SORTIES WERE PREFLIGHTED FROM THIS
AFD AND AT LEAST 63 WERE FLOWN, INCLUDING FIVE BY [REDACTED]
PILOTS. THIS IS A SHARP DECREASE FROM THE 96 THAT WERE FLOWN
THE PREVIOUS WEEK. A. VIETNAMESE ACTIVITY. ACTIVITY CONSISTED
OF INTERCEPT/ATTACK MISSIONS AGAINST USAF AND USN ACFT, DEFENSIVE
PATROLS IN REACTION TO HOSTILE ACFT, GCI PRACTICE, INTERCEPT PRACTICE,
A ROUND ROBIN FLIGHT TO HANOI GIA LAM AFD INTER AFD FLIGHT
TO HANOI GIA LAM AFD AND UNIDENTIFIED FLIGHT ACTIVITY DURING
DAYLIGHT HOURS, AND INTERCEPT ATTACK MISSIONS AGAINST USAF
AND USN ACFT, GCI PRACTICE AND UNIDENTIFIED FLIGHT ACTIVITY
DURING THE HOURS OF DARKNESS. DURING THE 07 OCT USAF PM
STRIKES, WARHAWK FLIGHT (4 F105S) WAS ENGAGED BY TWO PHUC
YEN BASED MIG 21S. WARHAWK LEAD WAS DAMAGED BY AN AAM AND
ALTHOUGH WARHAWK WAS ABLE TO EXIT THE DRV, OPERATIONAL TROUBLES,
PROBABLY A RESULT OF DAMAGE INFLICTED BY THE AAM, FORCED THE
ACFT DOWN A FEW MILES NORTH OF DA NANG, RVN. DURING THE
USAF PM STRIKES ON 09 OCT, VAMPIRE FLIGHT (4 F105S) WAS ATTACKED
BY TWO PHUC YEN BASED MIG 21S. VAMPIRE FOUR WAS DOWNED BY
AN AAM FIRED BY ONE OF THE MIG 21S. [REDACTED] ACTIVITY. BETWEEN
0024Z AND 0055Z, 12 OCT, FOUR [REDACTED] KEP BASED MIG
17S CONDUCTED A DEFENSIVE PATROL IN REACTION TO THE USAF
STRIKE ON KEP AFD. DUE TO EXTENSIVE BOMB DAMAGE TO KEP AFD,
THE [REDACTED] PILOTS RECOVERED AT PHUC YEN. C. [REDACTED] ACTIVITY.
[REDACTED] FLIGHT ACTIVITY CONSISTED OF ZOOM CLIMBS AND TEST CHECK
OUR FLIGHTS, ALL OCCURRING DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS. D. AOB
THIS AFD IS PRESENTLY CREDITED WITH 11 MIG 17 AND 13 MIG
21 ACFT. 2. HANOI GIA LAM AFD. A TOTAL OF 105 MIG SORTIES WERE
PREFLIGHTED FROM THIS AFD AND AT LEAST 46 WERE FLOWN. THIS
COMPARES FAVORABLY WITH THE 55 THAT WERE FLOWN THE PREVIOUS
WEEK. A. ALL SORTIES FLOWN FROM THIS AFD INVOLVED VIETNAMESE
PILOTS. ACTIVITY CONSISTED OF DEFENSIVE PATROLS IN REACTION
TO HOSTILE ACFT, AIR ATTACK PRACTICE, FORMATION PRACTICE
AND UNIDENTIFIED FLIGHT ACTIVITY, ALL OCCURRING DURING DAYLIGHT
HOURS. ON 12 OCT, DURING THE 0900Z HOUR, A PHUC YEN BASED MIG
21 CONDUCTING A TOUCH AND GO LANDING AT HANOI GIA LAM AFD,
BLEW A TIRE AND HAD TO REMAIN AT THIS AFD. THIS WAS ONE
OF TWO MIG 21S CONDUCTING CIRCUITS AND LANDINGS AT PHUC YEN
AND HANOI GIA LAM AFDS. B. AOB THIS AFD IS PRESENTLY CREDITED
WITH NINE MIG 17 ACFT. 3. KEP: ONLY TWO MIG SORTIES WERE PREFLIGHTED
FROM THIS AFD, WHILE A TOTAL OF AT LEAST 28 MIG SORTIES
WERE FLOWN. ALL ACTIVITY FROM THIS AFD INVOLVED CORCOMPILOTTED
MIG 17S CONDUCTING DEFENSIVE PATROLS IN REACTION TO USAF
OR USN STRIKE ACFT DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS. A. BETWEEN 0024Z
AND 0055Z, 12 OCT, FOUR KEP BASED [REDACTED] MIG 17S PERFORMED
A DEFENSIVE PATROL IN REACTION TO USAF STRIKE ACFT WHICH
WERE TARGETED AGAINST KEP AFD. DUE TO EXTENSIVE BOMB DAMAGE
INFLICTED ON THE AFD, THE [REDACTED] PILOTS RECOVERED AT PHUC
YEN. SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN KEP AND PHUC YEN [REDACTED]
GROUND CONTROLLERS INDICATED THAT KEP AFD WAS PROBABLY UNSERVICEABLE AND
THAT THE [REDACTED] MIG 17 PILOTS SHOULD BE PREPARED TO CONDUCT
DEFENSIVE PATROLS FROM PHUC YEN COVERING THE AREA BETWEEN
KEP AND PHUC YEN AFD. ALSO NOTED IN GROUND COMMUNICATIONS,
WERE REFERENCES TO THE CONTINGENT OF [REDACTED] MIG 21 ASSOCIATED
PILOTS, LAST NOTED ACTIVE ON 01 AUG. THE KEP AFD CONTROLLER ADVISED
THE PHUC YEN AFD CONTROLLER THAT THESE PILOTS SHOULD BE
PREPARED TO FLY MIG 21S. THE PHUC YEN CTRLR REPLIED THAT THEY
WERE PREPARED. HOWEVER, THESE PILOTS WERE NOT OBSERVED ACTIVE
IN LATER ACTIVITY. B. AOB WITH THE RETURN OF THE FOUR [REDACTED]
PILOTS TO MIG 17 TO PHUC YEN, AND EXTENSIVE BOMB DAMAGE INFLICTED
ON KEP AFD, THIS AFD IS NOT CREDITED WITH ANY SERVICEABLE
ACFT. 4. SINCE 01 AUGUST, A REVERSAL OF TRENDS PERTAINING TO
US ACFT LOSSES AS OPPOSED TO DRV LOSSES DUE TO AIR TO AIR
COMBAT HAS BECOME EVIDENT. THE FOLLOWING IS A CHRONOLOGICAL
LISTING OF US AND DRV ACFT LOSSES BATTLE DAMAGE FROM 01
AUGUST TO DATE: N 10 AG - TWO MIG 21S SHOT DOWN BY TWO USN

F4B TARCAP. 23 AUG - TWO F4DS (FORD 1 AND 4) SHOT DOWN BY
TWO MIG 21S, ONE MIG 21 SHOT DOWN BY F105 (CROSS BOW 3).
16 SEP - ONE RF105- (RESALE 1) SHOT DOWN BY N 17 SEP - ONE
F4C (SPLENDID) PROBABLY SHOT DOWN BY MIG 17 03 OCT - ONE
F4D RECCE ESCORT (SPITFIRE 1)-92, BY MIG 17S 05 OCT - TWO
USN A4B/CS DAMAGED BY MIG 17S, ONE MIG 17 DAMAGED BY A4B/CS
(NOT CONFIRMED BY M 07 OCT - ONE F105 (WARHAWK 1) SHOT DOWN
BY MIG 21, ONE F4C DAMAGED BY MIG 21, ONE MIG 21 DAMAGED
BY TWO F4CS (VESPA 3 AND 4). 899
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*3 E C R E T SAVIN SECTION TWO OF FOUR F46T/7426 WEEKLY AIR DEFENSE WRAP 70 CONT. 08 OCT - ONE MIG 21 POSSIBLY DAMAGED BY AN UNIDENTIFIED US ACFT. 09 OCT - ONE F105 (VAMPIRE 4) SHOT DOWN BY MIG 21. TOTAL FOR THE PERIOD IS THREE MIGS DOWNED AND ONE DAMAGED, AND SEVEN US ACFT DOWNED AND THREE DAMAGED. AN ADDITIONAL TWO MIG 17S WERE LOST, ONE TO A DRV SAM AND THE OTHER TO UNIDENTIFIED CAUSES, POSSIBLY DRV AIR DEFENSES. ANALYSIS OF SIGINT REFLECTION OF THE MIG REACTION TO US STRIKE FORCES DOES NOT INDICATE ANY CHANGE IN TACTICS HAS PRODUCED THE IMPROVED MIG INTERCEPT CAPABILITY. RATHER, IT APPEARS THAT THE SAME INTERCEPT TACTICS HAVE BEEN IN USE FOR AT LEAST FIVE MONTHS. CONTINUAL TRAINING AND PRACTICE HAVE PROBABLY INCREASED THE PROFICIENCY OF BOTH PILOTS AND GCI CONTROLLERS. STEREOTYPED INGRESS/EGRESS ROUTES AS REFLECTED BY DRV ASF HAVE PROBABLY ENABLED GCI CONTROLLERS TO PERFECT TIMING AND ATTACK PATTERNS. OF INTEREST, ALTHOUGH COMINT HAS ONLY REVEALED TWO MIG 21S IN EACH INTERCEPT ATTEMPT, USAF PILOTS HAVE CONSISTENTLY REPORTED FOUR MIG 21S INVOLVED IN INTERCEPTS. ALSO OF INTEREST, PILOTS ARE INCREASINGLY REPORTING ENCOUNTERING JAMMING ON THE GUARD FREQUENCY. THIS COULD BE AN ATTEMPT TO DEGRADE RECEPTION OF MIG ALERTS. SECTION THREE - SURFACE TO AIR (SAM) AND ANTI ACFT ARTY (AAA). COLLATERAL SOURCES REPORTED A MINIMUM OF 43 SAM SIGHTINGS WHILE 15 CONFIRMED LAUNCHES WERE REFLECTED ON DRV SAM ASSOCIATED COMMUNICATIONS. 07 OCT: 1. BETWEEN 0628-0729Z, DRV SAM ASSOCIATED COMMUNICATIONS REFLECTED SAM BN V1458 ENGAGED IN DOUBLE LAUNCH ACTIVITY WHILE WORKING WITH THE 236TH RGT CTRL. THE BN LAUNCHED TWO MISSILES AT 0629Z AGAINST A TARGET OF FOUR ACFT. ONE ACFT WAS HIT AND THE BN REPORTED THAT A PARACHUTE HAD BEEN SIGHTED. AFTER THE MISSILES WERE LAUNCHED THE ACFT DROVE AND SPLIT INTO TWO RAIDS, ONE TRACK HEADING WEST, NORTH OF HANOI AND THE OTHER PARALLELING THE FLIGHT BUT SOUTH OF HANOI. OPERATIONAL DATA REVEALS THAT TWO RF4CS WITH THEIR ESCORT OF TWO F4S PERFORMED A PHOTO RECCO FLIGHT OVER THE HA GIA AND THAI NGUYEN RR FACS. AT 0629Z WHILE OVER A POSITION OF 21-09N 105-52E ONE OF THE ESCORT F4S WAS DAMAGED BY A SAM. THE CREW WAS FORCED TO EJECT IN THE VIC OF 20-37N 105-09E AND TWO GOOD CHUTES WERE SIGHTED. HEAVY JAMMING WAS REPORTED BY THE BN AND OPERATIONAL DATA REFLECTS THAT ALL ACFT WERE QRC-160 EQUIPPED. 2. DURING THE 0100Z HOUR, A STRIKE FORCE OF 13 USN ACFT FROM THE USS ORISKANY STRUCK THE DO XA RRYARD. AT 0121Z AN A4S WAS HIT BY A SAM AND IMPACTED AT 20-44N 105-42E. PILOT DID NOT EJECT. SAM BNS V1443 AND V1476 ARE BOTH WITHIN LAUNCH RANGE OF WHERE THE A4 WAS HIT, HOWEVER NO COMINT IS AVAILABLE FOR THE 0100Z HOUR. ELINT DATA REFLECTS TWO FANSONGS ACTIVE DURING THE TIMEFRAME IN WHICH THE ACFT WAS DOWNED. 08 OCT: 1. BETWEEN 2344-48Z, AN UNIDENTIFIED SAM BN WAS REFLECTED DISCUSSING A PREVIOUS LAUNCH ACTIVITY WITH THE SOUTH WEST RGT CTRL. THE CONVERSATION REVEALED THAT TWO MISSILES WERE LAUNCHED ON 07 OCT DOWNING AN A4. THE BN REPORTED THAT THE CITIZENS HAD SEEN THE ACFT DESTROYED AT CHUONG MY (20-52N 105-42E) AND REPORTED THAT THE PILOT WAS KILLED. THIS CONVERSATION APPARENTLY RESULTED FROM A DISAGREEMENT OVER WHICH SAM/AAA UNIT SHOULD RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THE SHOOTDOWN SINCE ANOTHER UNIT HAD ALSO CLAIMED TO HAVE DOWNED THE PLANE. THE BN STATED THAT THEIR RANGES AND AZIMUTHS WERE CORRECT AND A HIGHER ECHELON SHOULD STUDY THE MATTER. THE REPORTED SHOOTDOWN CORRELATES WITH THE LOSS OF AN A4 AT 0121Z ON 07 OCT. NINE SAMs WERE SIGHTED BY STRIKE PILOTS. THE UNIDENTIFIED BN ABOVE WHICH CLAIMED THE SHOOTDOWN STATED HE WAS LOCATED AT PHO NAM HAI (20-33N 105-36E) WHICH IS NEAR VN245. THE CURRENT LOCATION OF V1439. ANALYSIS OF LAUNCH DATA REVEALS THE OTHER BN IS PROBABLY LOCATED AT VN002. 2. BETWEEN 0023-0123Z, USAF ACFT ATTACKED RR FACILITIES AT DAI LOI. THAI NGUYEN AND LANG LAU. NO SAMs WERE SIGHTED ALTHOUGH SAM BN V1424 WAS NOTED ACTIVE THROUGHOUT THE STRIKE ACTIVITY. AT 0102Z AN IRON HAND PILOT LAUNCHED A SHRIKE MISSILE AT VN062. THE LOCATION OF V1424. THE PILOT ESTIMATED THAT THE TRACKING VAN WAS DESTROYED. COMINT REFLECTED V1424 TRACKING BETWEEN 0102-12Z WITH NO INDICATION THAT THE SITE HAD BEEN ATTACKED. THE BN DID REPORT THAT A PIECE OF THEIR AZIMUTH EQUIPMENT WAS BROKEN BUT AT 0145Z STATED THE REPAIRS WERE FINISHED. THE BN WAS NOT ABLE TO ENGAGE THE STRIKE ACFT BECAUSE OF THIS EQUIPMENT MALFUNCTION. ELINT DATA REFLECTS TWO FANSONGS, SOUTH OF V1424, ACTIVE DURING THE STRIKE TIMEFRAME. THIS DATA INDICATES TWO OTHER BNS WERE ALSO REACTING TO THE STRIKE ACFT. 3. DURING THE LATE 0400Z HOUR USN ACFT STRUCK THE HAI

DUONG RR/HWY BRIDGE. SAM BN V1458, UNDER THE SUPER-VISION OF THE 236TH RGT CTRLR, WAS NOTED IN REACTION TO THE STRIKES. AT 0443Z THE BN ENTERED A CONDITION ONE BUT DROPPED BACK TO A CONDITION TWO AT 0519Z WITHOUT LAUNCHING ANY MISSILES. SHORTLY AFTER THE BN ENTERED A CONDITION ONE THEY REPORTED HEAVY JAMMING FROM AN AZIMUTH OF 180 TO 270 DEGREES. OPERATIONAL DATA DOES NOT INDICATE THE SOURCE OF JAMMING SOUTHWEST OF THE SITE. 4. BETWEEN 0845-0934Z, A USAF STRIKE FORCE ATTACKED RRYARDS AT PHU XUYEN AND BAC GIAN. PILOTS REPORTED ONE SAM BUT NO ACFT WERE DAMAGED. TWO BNS, V1436 AND V1472, WERE OBSERVED IN PASSIVE REACTION TO THE HOSTILE FORCES. AT 0900Z AN IRON HAND ACFT LAUNCHED TWO SHRIKES TOWARD VN062 (V1424) AND IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD SIGHTED AN APPROACHING SAM. THE MISSILE WAS SUCCESSFULLY AVOIDED. ELINT DATA REFLECTS FIVE OTHER FANSONGS WERE ACTIVE DURING THE TIMEFRAME OF THE STRIKES. 5. BETWEEN 1002-04Z, TWO UNIDENTIFIED SAM ELEMENTS, PROBABLY SUBORDINATE TO THE SOUTH WEST HANOI RGT CTRLR, WERE NOTED DISCUSSING THREE MISSILES LAUNCHED AT AN EARLIER UNIDSCLOSED TIME. THE CONVERSATION REVEALED THAT MISSILE NUMBER TWO HAD SELF DESTRUCTED. THE OTHER SPEAKER REPORTED THAT A PIECE OF HIS EQUIPMENT WAS BROKEN AND WOULDNT RUN AT ALL. NO SAMS WERE SIGHTED TO THE SOUTH AND OR EAST OF HANOI DURING THIS DAY. 09 OCT: 1. BETWEEN 0020-0120Z USAF STRIKE FORCES STRUCK THE HA GIA HWY BRIDGE AND THE DUNG THON RR SIDING. LIGHT TO MODERATE AAA AND FOUR SAMS WERE SIGHTED BY PILOTS. ONE SAM WAS SIGHTED AT 0115Z BY A STRIKE ACFT EGRESSING FROM HA GIA. THE MISSILE DETONATED 15 NM AWAY AND NO ESTIMATE COULD BE MADE AS TO LOCATION OF LAUNCHING BN. THREE MORE SAMS WERE SIGHTED BY AN IRON HAND FLIGHT ATTACKING VN159. SAMS DETONATED WELL BEHIND THE ACFT AND POSED NO REAL THREAT. 898
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CLAS ~~S E C R E T~~ SAVIN SECTION THREE OF FOUR 46T/7426 WEEKLY
 AIR DEFENSE WRAP UP CONT. COMINT REFLECTED SAM BN V1424
 (WEITH RGT) TRACKING USACFT AND MIG PATROLS DURING STRIKE
 ACTIVITY. AT 0042Z, THEY REPORTED THE EQUIPMENT WASNT WORKING
 YET AND LATER THAT THEY COULDN'T REPORT BECAUSE THEY WERE
 UNABLE TO PICKUP A PICTURE. NO LAUNCH ACTIVITY WAS NOTED.
 THIS IS THE SECOND DAY V1424 HAS HAD EQUIPMENT TROUBLES.
 PROBABLY COMPOUNDING THE EQUIPMENT TROUBLES IS THAT THE BN
 HAS RELOCATED TO 21-18N 106-15E (VN032). ELINT DATA REFLECTS
 THAT UP TO TEN FANSONGS WERE ACTIVE DURING THE STRIKES INDICATING
 HEAVY SURVEILLANCE OF STRIKE ACFT BY SA BNS. 2. BETWEEN 0256-0325Z,
 SAM BN V1451 WAS REFLECTED IN PRACTICE LAUNCH ACTIVITY. AT
 0318Z THEY REPORTED THEY HAD LAUNCHED TWO MISSILES AND DESTROYED
 THE TARGET. ONE MINUTE LATER THE BN REPORTED THE THIRD MISSILE
 WAS ALSO GOOD. AN UNIDENTIFIED CTLR THEN TOLD THE BN TO,
 GIVE THE EXPERIENCES THAT YOU DREW TO THE 55TH POLITICAL
 HQS. THE LAXITY OF OPERATORS, CIRCUIT DISCIPLINE AND THE FACT
 THAT DRV ASF DID NOT REFLECT HOSTILE TRACKS IN THE AREA THIS
 TIME INDICATES THAT THIS ACTIVITY WAS AN EXERCISE. 10 OCT/NTR.
 11 OCT/NTR. 12 OCT: DURING THE LATE 0400Z HOUR, USN ACFT
 STRUCK THE HAIPHONG SHIPYARD FACS. NO SAMs WERE SIGHTED BUT
 AN AIRBORNE ELINT PLATFORM DETECTED GUIDANCE SIGNALS AT 0444Z, 0455Z
 AND 0500Z INDICATING POSSIBLE LAUNCHES. AT 0532Z HAIPHONG
 ARE CTLR WAS NOTED REPORTING LAUNCH ACTIVITY AND CLAIMED
 TWO DOWNED ACFT. OPERATIONAL REPORTS REFLECT NO ACFT LOSSES
 AND THE REFERENCE TO DOWNED ACFT CANNOT BE EXPLAINED. 13 OCT:
 1. BETWEEN 0400-0118Z, SAM BN V1466 WAS NOTED SORING WITH AN
 UNIDENTIFIED CTLR IN REACTION TO USAF STRIKES ON KEP AFLD.
 AT 0054Z THE BN WAS TOLD TO PREPARE TO DESTROY AND 0058Z
 THEY WERE TOLD TO DESTROY. THE TARGET HAD CLOSED TO 19.5
 NMS AT 0058Z AND THEN BEGAN FLYING AWAY. THE BN REPLIED THEY
 COULDN'T FIRE BECAUSE THE RANGE WAS TOO MUCH. OPERATIONAL
 DATA REFLECTS THAT EIGHT SAMs WERE SIGHTED BY STRIKE PILOTS,
 SIX FROM VIC OF V1456 AND TWO FROM VIC OF SAM SITE VN078.
 NO DAMAGE WAS INFLICTED. DRV TACTICAL VOICE FACS REFLECTED
 THE KEP TOWER CTLR REPORTING BOMB DAMAGE TO THE AFLD SUBSEQUENT
 TO THE STRIKES. HE STATED THERE WAS VERY LITTLE THAT HAD
 NOT BEEN HIT IN THE SECOND AREA AND THAT SEVERAL ACFT HAD ALSO
 BEEN DAAGED. 2. BETWEEN 0845-0926Z, USAF ACFT STRUCK THE
 DAP CAUBYPASS RR BRIDGE AND THE KEP HA ARMY BARRACKS. THESE STRIKES
 GENERATED HEAVY SA REACTION FROM POSSIBLY AS MANY AS SIX
 BNS, INCLUDING V1424, V1487 AND AN UNIDENTIFIED HANOI AREA
 BN. AT 0843Z SA BN V1424 WAS NOTED LAUNCHING TWO MISSILES AT
 A RAID OF 12 HOSTILE ACFT BUT BOTH MISSILES MISSED THE TARGET.
 AT 0918Z THE BN PICKED UP MORE HOSTILE ACFT AND FIVE MISSILE
 LAUNCHES WERE DETECTED IN COMINT AND ELINT. THE XN HUD TROUBLE
 LAUNCHES AT 0921 AND 0924Z, AND A SINGLE LAUNCH AT 0926Z.
 NO ACFT WERE REPORTED DOWNED. AT 0923Z, THE SOUTH WEST RGT
 CTLR WAS NOTED INSTRUCTING AN UNIDENTIFIED BN TO DESTROY
 THE TARGET. HOWEVER THE TARGET, COMPOSED OF TEN ACFT, DID
 NOT APPROACH CLOSER THAN 16.2 NMS AND THE UNIT WAS APPARENTLY
 NOT ABLE TO FIRE, POSSIBLY BECAUSE OF JAMMING. ELINT DATA
 REFLECTED THE FANSONG ASSOCIATED WITH V1487 AND POSSIBLY
 SIX OTHER FANSONGS ACTIVE DURING THE TIME FRAME OF THE STRIKES.
 OPERATIONAL DATA REPORTED 14 SAMs WERE LAUNCHED AT TESTRIKE
 FORCE, FOUR FROM VN186, THREE EACH FROM VN078 (V1424) AND
 005 (V1487), AND FOUR FROM AN UNDETERMINED LOCATIONS. NO DAMAGE
 WAS INFLICTED TO STRIKE ACFT. 3. BETWEEN 0925-33Z, CFNVN
 AAA COMMUNICATIONS REFLECTED FOUR DIFFERENT STATIONS REPORTING
 A HOSTILE ACFT DOWN IN THE VIC OF SUNG HUA (21-35N 106-38E).
 OPERATIONAL DATA DOES NOT REFLECT ANY ACFT LOSSES/DAMAGE
 IN THIS AREA FOR 13 OCT. SAM BATTALIONS RELOCATION/RECON CONFIRMED: V1458
 21-09N 105-45E, VN064: LATE INFORMATION REVEALS THIS BN
 RELOCATED TO THESE COORDINATES AS EARLY AS 03 OCT. V1424
 21-18N 106-15E RECONFIRMED ON 09, 10, 11 AND 12 OCT. V1451
 21-09N 105-52E, VN133 RECONFIRMED ON 09 OCT. V1472 20-56N
 105-58E, VN142 RECONFIRMED ON 08, 09, 11, 12 AND 13 OCT. SOUTHERN
 MR 4/DMZ ELINT ACTIVITY A SPOONREST LOCATED SOUTH OF DONG
 HOI AT 17-03N 106-04E (4 NM CEP) WAS NOTED ACTIVE ON 10, 11
 AND 13 OCT. DURING THE WEEK THREE SPOONREST RADARS NORTH
 OF DONG HOI WERE DETECTED. ONE, LOCATED IN THE VIC OF 17-47N 106-19E
 (4 NM CEP) ON 09 OCT AND TWO ON 13 OCT, ONE AT 17-47N 106-44E
 (4 NM CEP) AND THE OTHER AT 17-43N 106-08E (4 NM CEP). DMZ
 AAA COMINT HAS REVEALED THAT AT LEAST TWO DRV AAAREGTS ARE
 ACTIVE IN THE DMZ AREA. A LETTER BOX NUMBER (LBN) ANALYSIS
 DETECTED THE MOVE OF AN UNIDENTIFIED POSSIBLE AAA REGT FROM THE
 HANOI AREA, SOUTH TO THE HA TINH AREA IN JAN 21 1967. ALSO

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IN JAN A SUSPECT AIR DEFENSE ASSOCIATED REGT BECAME ACTIVE
 IN COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE MR FOURHQ5 (VINH). THE SUSPECT
 REGT WAS SUBSEQUENTLY RESUBORDINATED TO THE DMZ FRONT AND
 WAS LOCATED IN MARIN THE DMZ (16-59N 107-01E). THE UNIDENTIFIED
 POSSIBLE AAA REGT HAS BEEN ADDRESSED AT VINH LINH SINCE APRIL, SUGGESTING
 THAT IT MAY BE THE SUSPECT AIR DEFENSE ASSOCIATED REGT LOCATED
 IN THE DMZ AT THAT TIME. ALTHOUGH THE IDENTITY OF THIS AIR
 DEFENSE AAA REGT IS NOT KNOWN A POSSIBLE REFERENCE HAS BEEN
 MADE TO THE 213TH AAA REGT. IN JULY AN INTERCEPTED MESSAGE FROM
 A DMZ ELEMENT STATED THAT 213 HAD REPORTED A MEDIUM AAA REGT
 AND A MISSILE BN WERE COMING DOWN. IN 1964 THE 213TH AAA
 REGT WAS NOTED SUBORDINATE TO THE MR THREE AIR DEFENSE COMMAND
 POST (HA DONGH B U), AND WAS STILL IN THE MR THREE AREA AS
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*S E C R E T SAVIN FINAL SECTION OF FOURF46T/7426 WEEKLY
 AIR DEFENSE WRAP UP CONT.B. ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO EVIDENCE
 TO IDENTIFY THE MEDIUM AAA REGT REPORTEDLY MOVING DOWN TO
 THE DMZ IN THE JULY MESSAGE, LBN ANALYSIS DETECTED THE MOVE
 OF A SECOND UNIDENTIFIED POSSIBLE AAA REGT FROM THE THAI BINH
 AREA TO MR FOUR (NGHE AN PROVINCE) IN FEB 1967. BEGINNING
 IN AUG 1967, THIS REGT WAS ADDRESSED AT VINH LINH INDICATING
 THAT IT HAD DEPLOYED TO THE DMZ AREA. THE CORRELATION IN
 TIMES SUGGESTS THAT IT IS THE MEDIUM AAA REGT REFERENCED IN
 THE JULY MESSAGE AS COMING DOWN. ALTHOUGH THE IDENTITY
 OF THIS SECOND AIR DEFENSE AAA REGT IS UNKNOWN, A MESSAGE
 FROM A DMZ ELEMENT IN OCTOBER MADE REFERENCE TO A 204TH ARTY
 REGT. DUE TO THE FACT THAT IDENTIFIED DRV AAA REGT DESIGNATORS
 ARE IN THE 200 SERIES, AND AT LEAST ONE BN OF THE 204TH IS
 LOCATED IN AN AREA OF KNOWN AIR DEFENSE ACTIVITY IN THE DMZ,
 IT IS SUSPECTED THAT THE 204TH REGT IS AN AIR DEFENSE AAA
 REGT AND REPRESENTS THE REGT THAT PROBABLY MOVED INTO THE
 DMZ IN AUG 1967. AT LEAST TWO OTHER AAA REGTS ARE KNOWN TO
 BE LOCATED IN MR FOUR, THE 280TH AND 290TH AAA REGTS. DATES
 AND SA BNS NOTED ACTIVE: FOLLOWING IS A LISTING OF THE SA
 BNS REFLECTED ACTIVE DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD. READ: ASN-SIGINT
 DJR VICE COORDS-CEP-PHOTO CONFIRMED OCCUPIED SITE-LAST HRD
 DATED DURING PREVIOUS REPORTING PERIOD-DATES HRD THIS PERIOD. 234TH
 SAM REGIMENT: V1402 20-46N 106-36E TWO NONE 04 OCT 10 OCTV1401
 20-50N 106-37E TWO VN099 04 OCT 09, 10 OCTV1403 20-55N 106-39E
 TWO VN071 06 OCT 07, 09, 10 OCTV1404 20-58N 106-51E TWO VN139
 05 OCT 11 OCTV236TH SAM REGIMENT: V1451 21-08N 105-51E TWO
 VN133 06 OCT 09, 12 OCTV1458 21-09N 105-45E TWO VN064 06
 OCT 07, 08, 11, 12 OCTV1453 21-16N 105-35E TWO NONE 05 OCT
 08, 11 OCTV1466 21-20N 105-32E TWO NONE 05 OCT 11 OCTV1463
 21-21N 105-52E TWO NONE NIL 07 OCTV238TH SAM REGIMENT: V1456
 21-09N 106-07E TWO VN148 06 OCT 07, 10, 11, 13 OCTV1487 21-10N
 105-58E TWO VN005 04 OCT 13 OCTV1424 21-18N 106-15E THREE
 06 OCT DAILY EAST HANOI SAM REGIMENT: V1472 20-56N 105-58E
 TWO VN142 06 OCT DAILY V1486 21-03N 105-58E THREE VN014 05
 OCT 10, 11, 12 OCTV1436 20-58N 106-03E TWO VN003 06 OCT 08, 09, 11
 OCT SOUTH WEST SAM REGIMENT: V1476 20-51N 105-45E THREE VN002
 06 OCT 07, 08 OCTV1439 20-53N 105-56E ONE VN245 NIL 07, 08, 09, 11, 12
 OCTV1475 21-03N 105-43E FOUR NONE 05 OCT 07 OCT SECTION FOUR
 - RADAR ACTIVITY: 1. EARLY WARNING OVERALL RADAR ACTIVITY
 WAS NORMAL DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD WITH A DAILY AVERAGE
 OF 28 RADAR SATINS USING 63 INDIVIDUAL PIECES OF RADAR EQUIPMENT.
 THIRTY RADAR STATIONS WERE NOTED ACTIVE ON 07 AND 10 OCT
 67, THE HIGH TOTALS FOR THIS WEEK. ROCK CAKE/STONE CAKE HEIGHT
 FINDER ACTIVITY WAS NOTED ON SEVEN DAYS THIS WEEK. A. RADAR
 ACTIVITY IN THE CENTRAL COASTAL REGION: READ: STATION - EQUIP
 ACTIVE - EQUIP SKED/NOT ACTIVE BIA THUONG RC, MF, HD, KB -- NAM
 DINH 2-FF, HD, RC, MF -- THANH HOA KB, 2-FF, XS, KA -- HUNG YEN
 2-FF, MF, SR-A, RC -- THAI BINH KB, 2-FF, HD -- HAIPHONG KIEN AN
 RC, KB, 2-FF, BL -- BANG BO RC, KB, 2-FF, BL -- SON TAY SR-A -- ASN
 V1181 FF SR-AASN V1182 -- SR-A, FFASN V1189 SN, BL -- B. RADAR
 ACTIVITY IN THE SOUTHERN DRV: VINH KB, HD, FF, MF -- HA TINH
 KB, MF, HD, FF -- PHU DIEN CHAU KB, FF, HD -- VINH LINH KB, MF, HD
 -- DONG HOI 2-KB, FF, MF -- QUI BINH HD, RC, KB, MF, SR-A -- C. RADAR
 ACTIVITY IN THE NORTH NORTHEASTERN DRV: HAIPHONG 2-KB, RC, FF
 -- KEP SR-A, HD, FF, BL, RC, XS, BB-B MFPHO THO FF, KB, KA -- HON
 GAY 2-KB -- BACH HA KB KA KEP HA FF, KB -- VIET TRI KB, FF -- TAM
 DAO FF, HD -- ASN V1179 BB-B, SN -- ASN V1180 SN, BL, BB-B -- D.
 RADAR ACTIVITY IN THE NORTHWESTERN DRV: NQ QUHI KB KB DIEN
 BIEN PHU KA, HD, KB -- NA SAN 2-HD, 2-KB -- PIEN KAYE 3-KB -- XOM
 LOM HD, KB -- HOI XUAN 2-KB, 2-HD, FF, SR-A -- BUOM AN KB, 2-HD
 -- SON TAY BL, SR-A -- 2. NAVAL ACTIVITY SIGINT DURING THIS
 REPORTING PERIOD REFLECTED A DAILY AVERAGE OF NINE ACTIVE
 NAVAL RADAR STATIONS. 3. GCI ACTIVITY: BARLOCK ACTIVITY WAS
 NORMAL DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD WITH 18 BARLOCKS NOTED
 ACTIVE. THE FOLLOWING BARLOCKS WERE REFLECTED ACTIVE: HAIPHONG/KIEN
 AN - 07, 08, 09, 10, 11 AND 12 OCT HA DONG - 07, 08, 10 AND 09
 OCT THOUNG CHE - 07, 08 AND 09 OCT BAC MAI - 10 AND 11 OCT GOA
 LAC - 07 OCT KEP - 08 OCT 896
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